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Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-identified application, please amend the application as follows:

## IN THE CLAIMS:

Please add new claim 37 as follows:

37. (New) A data transceiving system wherein:
data are sent from a broadcast station to a plurality of data receivers by broadcasting;

(B)

response information is sent after a delay from said plurality of data receivers to response information receiving equipment by communication lines; and

said response information receiving equipment, upon receiving said response information from said data receiver, notifies a user of said data receiver that response information was received by a communication line other than said communication lines.

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